

## "YOUR GOING AWAY."

For "your summer trip" perhaps reminds you that you need a Traveling Bag, Suit Case or Trunk. We want to say, out right loud, that our showing in this line is the biggest and best assortment shown in this city.

SEE IT BEFORE YOU BUY.

The Store That Made Our Price Plain Figures Famous.

KENP & PEARSON CLOTHING COMPANY.

MEXICO, MISSOURI.

JAN. GARRITT, Sr., has been taking the Mexico Express continuously for fifty three years. Who can show a better record.

THE old cemetery should be cleaned and put in presentable shape before the Fair and Chautauque, as there will be many visitors here.

RUSSELL MONROE is now editor of the Tipton Times-Gazette, which he will make one of the very best country papers in the state.

We would call attention to Col. Fennell's letter in today's Express in regard to opening Jackson street. This street should be opened at once.

The financial statement of the Mexico school board published in Saturday's Express shows that the money of the district is economically expended.

The Moberly (Mo.) Democrat editorially says: "A St. Louis excursion company wrote to St. J. Roy, secretary of the Hannibal Commercial Club, asking him to assist in getting an excursion out of Hannibal to St. Louis. Mr. Roy at once answered that he could not, but all Hannibal would help to bring excursions into Hannibal. He in substance said, Hannibal had millions to bring people to Hannibal, but not a cent to send them out. There are no more enthusiastic workers for their home city than Mr. Roy, and we will add no more intelligent and effective, and he never overlooks Hannibal's interests."

The Morris Brothers Shoe Co. has been organized with F. E. Morris, president; E. F. Morris, vice-president and W. J. Morris, secretary and treasurer. The date of the annual meeting will be the third Monday in July. The monthly meeting of the directors will be on the third Monday. The plans and specifications are drawn and accepted. The contract was signed Monday afternoon. Morris Brothers returned to St. Louis Monday afternoon.

Mrs. J. W. Dry and son have returned from a ten days visit to Centralia and Monroe county. Miss Sarah Sappington, of Kansas City and Miss Emma Sappington, of Centralia are visiting her this week.

Born Thursday to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lewis, a daughter.

### THIEF ENTERS HOUSE.

Gets Nine Dollars and is Frightened Away by the Screams of Miss Dora Gallop—Could Not Identify Man.

The home of S. H. McCullough, at 424 Franklin avenue, was entered by a thief Monday night about 11:30 o'clock and nine dollars stolen.

In searching for more plunder he awakened one of the inmates and was frightened away. The robber entered the house through a window on the ground floor and in the room occupied by Miss Dora Gallop, who was not aroused when he entered. He started to pilfer the second story first and procured nine dollars from Mr. Gallop. Nothing else was disturbed on that floor and he evidently returned to the first and started to search for valuables. In looking around the room occupied by Miss Gallop he accidentally placed his hand upon her face and awakened her. She immediately screamed and her cries aroused the rest of the household, who arrived too late to capture the burglar. The coat was found outside of the window where the thief had dropped it when he made his hurried exit.

It was so dark in the room Miss Gallop could not see the man and would be unable to identify him.

### REMAINS INTERRED.

Mrs. Kokendoff Buried in Louisville, Ky., at the Cave Hill Cemetery.

J. M. Greer is home from Louisville, Ky., where he went with Rev. A. W. Kokendoff to assist in the interment in Cave Hill Cemetery of the remains of Mrs. Kokendoff, which have rested in a vault since her death a year ago.

Interment was made on Friday in a metal casket in a cemetery-lined grave in this beautiful cemetery. Mrs. Kokendoff had once expressed a desire to be cremated, but neither Mr. Kokendoff nor the relatives could bear to have this done.

The recent meeting of the missionary society of the Christian church was of the nature of a memorial service to Mrs. Kokendoff, each lady bearing loving testimony of the influence her friend's life had upon her.

**WHEN YOU COME** to the Fair, come to see **THE HOUSE OF QUALITY**. You'll find it attractive and interesting, and quite different from the ordinary store. You will see **THE FINEST STOCK OF JEWELRY IN MEXICO AT MEXICO'S FINEST JEWELRY STORE.** A modern store, fitted with every convenience, for pleasant shopping is at your service.

**WORRELL THE JEWELER**

Step in and Look Around

On the Corner

DO YOU WANT A FARM?

**DRAKE SELLS FARMS!**

LET HIM SELL YOURS.

**DRAKE'S TALK NO. (7).**

AND IT IS TRUE.

If you are thinking of going to farming, or if you are thinking of moving to town, I would respectfully ask you to call at my office and tell me what you want. I believe I can fit your wants to your satisfaction and I will give you a square deal in every particular, as I have invariably done in the past, and will invariably do in the future.

Sincerely and Faithfully,

**CHARLES H. DRAKE**

NOTARY PUBLIC.

REAL ESTATE, LOANS.

INSURANCE.

Phone 541. Mexico, Mo.

**DRAKE'S TALK NO. (10).**

AND IT IS TRUE.

Passionism as regards the future growth and prosperity of Mexico and her tributary country, is the acme of ignorance. Come and get on my coach of success, and take a trip to prosperity with me.

DO YOU NEED MONEY?

**DRAKE MAKES LOANS**

HE CAN LOAN YOUR MONEY.

### BRABHAM IS BADLY CRUSHED.

John Barnhart, on C. & A. East Local, Mashed Between Car and the Platform at Bowling Green Monday—May Die.

John Barnhart, a brakeman on the east C. & A. local freight train, was perhaps fatally injured at Bowling Green Monday while in the act of coupling together some freight cars. He is still alive, at this writing, in a hospital at Jacksonville, Ill., where he was removed Monday night, but his physician regards his condition as extremely critical.

The accident occurred about 12:30 Monday at the platform at Bowling Green. The platform stands above the ground on the level with the car loads to facilitate the loading and unloading of freight, and there is only a space of some four inches between the platform and the box cars. The engineer was shoving some cars on the track and Barnhart ran forward to couple them on to a string of other cars already standing there. It is supposed he misjudged the speed the train was moving and suddenly found himself with no avenue of escape, caught between the platform and the car. Thus with his body in an upright position, he was rolled a distance of some 25 feet before the train was brought to a stop.

After some difficulty in extricating him from this painful position, physicians were called and the unfortunate man's injuries examined and given medical attention. He was found to have several ribs mashed and to be badly hurt inwardly, and little hope is held out for his recovery.

Barnhart is about 30 years of age and makes his home in Roodhouse, where he has a wife and four children. He is well liked among his fellow employees and he is regarded with confidence and respect by his superiors.

His place on the local is now being filled by Charles Karpis.

**A Tribute to Frank S. Luckie.** Frank S. Luckie, beloved and honored by all, has fallen asleep in the arms of Jesus to awake in the eternal world. Lofly human character always deserves to be commemorated, and a man so unselfish, so patriotic and a spirit within whom so contrary to making most things bend to the just of gold and worldly glory, furnishes theme for our meditation and valuable study.

His possession of the happy combination of qualities—physical, mental and moral—which go to make a useful and noble manhood, and with the attributes of a noble soul, which endeared him to all, it is no wonder that to attract and retain their friendship was one of his fitting characteristics.

Frank S. Luckie was born March 13th, 1866, and died July 2nd, 1906, being a few months past forty years of age at the time of his death.

On Oct. 18, 1895, he was married to Miss Alice Graham, of Mexico, Mo., who survives him. Besides the widow he leaves an affectionate mother, one loving sister and five dear brothers bowed in inexplicable grief at his sad demise.

Reluctantly we draw the mystic drapery on one whose life was true to every call of duty. Days and years will drift silently on, the flowers on his casket will fade into heaps of dust, but in their place will bloom "immortal" and sweet "forget-me-nots" that will enshrine his resting place in the "garden of sleep" and the kindly sun and shifting stars will look down on his grave where ever arises the shadow of the cross.

"In death's unrobing room we strip from round us The garments of mortality and earth; And breaking from the embryo state that bound us Our day of dying is our day of birth."

MOLLY.

**Extra Coach For Branch.**

The C. & A. Trainmaster issued an order Tuesday for an additional chair car to be held regularly here at Mexico for extra service on the Jefferson City Branch. The passenger business on this road has heavily increased since the present train service was instituted several months ago and is directly the cause of the issuance of the above order.

The traveling public is well pleased with the management now in force on the branch, as likewise are the railroad officials, and it is now practically an assured fact that things will remain permanently as they now are, though there was some opposition at first.

The Bailey trial, now in progress at Fulton, necessitated the use of an extra coach Monday to transport witnesses in the case.

**Mexico Horses Win at Columbus.** At the Columbus fair last week, Mexico horses, as usual, carried away a number of premiums. Lady Moseley, Harris Fields' beautiful sorrel saddle mare, being exceptionally successful, capturing four first premiums, one second and one fourth. She landed first money in the following rings: saddle mare, 4 years old or over; combination ring, model class, and sweep stake rings. She was second in the champion saddle stake event, competing with the famous Jack O'Diamonds for first honors. The latter horse, formerly owned by Thos. Bass of Mexico, is now the property of Thos. Dunn of St. Louis.

Ben Middleton's beautiful horse Starlight, took third premium in the Junior Saddle Class, with Lady Moseley coming in for fourth money.

John Hook and John Woods, of Paris, both formerly of Mexico, were prominent among the successful contestants for saddle honors. John Hook's Mabel Whitebird especially showed to advantage by winning a number of prizes.

**Advertised Letters.** List of letters remaining in the Post Office at Mexico, Mo., for the week ending July 10, 1906, which if not called for in thirty days will be sent to the dead letter office at Washington. Persons calling for letters in this list will please say "advertised."

Adams, Mrs. Sallie Beale, Howard Beckley, F. W. Berg, Christ C. Freeman, Theo. Gilbert, O. H. Harris, J. N. Heck, T. C. (3) Howard, Miss Polle Hughes, Kleoda Hutchison, Miss Mattie Humphrey, Mrs. Wm. Murry, L. J. Mueller, Emma Orr, W. L. Owen, W. B. Tardner, V. O. Taylor, Harry Wiggins, T. T. Whitehead, C. C. White, Harry White, Oscar Gao, H. Kunkel.

Postmaster.

**New House.**

J. C. Mundy has contracted to have a new house of five rooms and bath room erected just west of J. V. Williams' store in West Mexico.

## Danderine

GREW THIS HAIR.



And we can PROVE IT. Testimonial No. 576. MISS STELLA WELLS, 337 S. Humphrey Ave., Chicago. Hair will not stop falling of its own accord, and the longer you let it go without treatment the thinner it becomes. I had the more difficult to cure. Sick hair, just like sick people, will die if not cured. You can have the hair's life with Danderine. It makes the hair grow luxuriantly thick and long, and gives it that natural shine and beauty. NOW at all druggists, three sizes. 25c., 50c., and \$1.00 per bottle. KNOWLTON DANDERINE CO., Chicago.

**CALLAWAYS HEAVY.**

**EST. FREDER.**

Taylor Arnold Largest Land Owner in Adjoining County Buys Benton City Corn.

As well as being the largest landholder in eastern Callaway county, Taylor Arnold also figures as one of the best feeders of hogs and cattle in that section.

Last fall he bought about 4,000 barrels of corn, near Benton City, getting the bulk of it for 35 cents a bushel, and during the winter has fattened over 300 cattle and fully 500 hogs on the farm of Ab Harrison, in that vicinity, marketing them as they ripened. Just now he has about 20 sters eating corn there, most of them 1,500 pound fellows that are about ready for the shambles, and he is finishing them on shelled corn, the first grain he has had to purchase since he began feeding, last fall, on the ear corn.

It was too far to haul the corn to Mr. Arnold's nine mile prairie farms, and he would also have been farther from shipping facilities had he fed this side the line, so he arranged with Mr. Harrison to feed the stock. Such extensive feeding operations surely made rich spots on the Harrison farm, and the man behind the trough could almost afford to handle the stock for the sake of having them on his place. Lots of cobs piled up somewhere—Fulton Gazette.

**DOING THEIR DUTY.**

Scores of Mexico Readers Are Learning the Duty of the Kidneys.

To filter the blood is the kidneys duty.

When they fail to do this the kidneys are sick.

Backache and man kidney ills follow.

Urinary trouble, diabetes.

Dwan's Kidney Pills cure them all.

Mexico people endorse our claim.

J. G. Armstrong, farmer, living on Rural Free Delivery No. 5, Mexico, Mo., says: "Both my back and kidneys were giving me pain and causing embarrassment. I have had a bad back for sometime, not always equally lame and sensitive, but last March 15 was unusually bad. My kidneys were inactive and I was unable to rest nights. I had headache, stiffness in the shoulders and neck and every effort to move was a pang to me. Reading of Dwan's Kidney Pills, I got them from Buckner & Whitney's drug store well, they just filled the bill. I am over the whole trouble now and there is no more annoyance from the kidneys or back."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Dwan's—and take no other.

**L. R. WILFLEY SAILS.**

Attorney General Goes to China as a Judge.

MAMULA, July 14.—Attorney General L. R. Wilfley, who has been appointed Judge of the United States Court in China will sail to-morrow for Shanghai.

Gregorio Ahnetta, Solicitor General of the island who has been appointed Attorney General to succeed Mr. Wilfley, is the first native to become a bureau chief, and the Filipinos view his appointment as an evidence of good faith in the administration's promise of eventual self government.

**Camping Party Leaves.**

The following camping party left Monday for a week's stay in the woods north of Mexico: W. H. Oons and wife, Mrs. Gluck, Miss Julia Arnold, Miss Tilde Robinson, Messrs. Fred Pilcher, H. B. Brett, Wallace Fry and Arthur Crawford.

**New Suits Filled.**

Ocean Accident and Guarantee Corporation Limited vs. Jake Blum. J. G. Lakeau vs. North Missouri Trust Company.

**OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE BANK OF RUSH HILL at Rush Hill, State of Missouri, at the close of business on the 10th Day of July, 1906.**

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### SETTLEMENT DOCKET.

Of the Audrain County Probate Court—August, 1906, Term.

**MONDAY, AUGUST 13TH.** Estate Hugh Threlkeld, T. J. Vandlandingham, guardian. Estate Jas. R. Brown, J. R. Brown, guardian. Estate Jas. L. Acton, Mollie Acton, guardian. Estate Ethel M. Brown, et al, B. A. and G. H. Brown, guardians. Estate Leonie E. Fritar, W. H. Logan, guardian. Estate Jas. M. Harrison, J. F. Harrison, administrator. Estate Edith Sled, Jas. McGee, guardian. Estate Bettie Bottom, E. A. Shannon, adm'r.

**TUESDAY, AUGUST 14TH.** Estate Hilda Schopp, Jacob Schopp, guardian. Estate Snidow heirs, J. E. Jesse, guardian. Estate Roy and Virgie Spurling, H. G. Spurling, guardian. Estate Knifong heirs, Geo. W. Petty, guardian. Estate Ralph Callaway, Newtonia Callaway, guardian. Estate S. V. Overbaugh, H. A. Overbaugh, executor. Estate G. W. Stotter et al, J. W. Stotter, guardian. Estate Robt. L. Davis, S. T. Davis, adm'r. Estate Sam'l L. McCord, E. A. McCord, adm'r. Estate R. T. Connell, Annie Connell, executrix.

**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 15TH.** Estate J. M. Adell, E. B. and W. C. Adell, adm'r. Estate Edna M. Butts, C. M. Butts, adm'r. Estate J. A. Judy, J. M. Davis, executor. Estate P. Cunsidine, Joe and Mary Cunsidine, executors. Estate B. F. Orear, B. F. Orear, Jr. executor. Estate Maletta Miller et al, E. E. Miller, guardian. Estate Thos. P. Kirkland, J. I. Kirkland, guardian. Estate Ben and A. G. Burton, Mattie Burton, guardian. Estate Ebenezer Kilgore, J. E. Jesse, guardian. Estate I. Irwin Stuart, A. Stallings, guardian.

**THURSDAY, AUGUST 16TH.** Estate Sarah McCord, J. E. Jesse, administrator. Estate Grace Neyman et al, J. E. Jesse, guardian. Estate C. A. Varney, J. E. Jesse, guardian. Estate Gustave Alexander, G. E. Tuglie, adm'r. Estate L. G. and M. C. Spelman, John Spelman, guardian. Estate Sanford heirs, T. F. Roden, guardian. Estate J. I. Harrison, C. R. Harrison, adm'r. Estate Matilda Barnett, C. G. Daniel, guardian. Estate H. R. Guilek, R. L. Barnes et al, adm'r. Estate Enos Jackson, J. E. Jesse, guardian.

**FRIDAY, AUGUST 17TH.** Estate E. S. Hopkins, C. W. Lewis, adm'r. Estate Otto Hopkins et al, Lena Hopkins, guardian. Estate J. A. Swartwood, Nettie Swartwood, administratrix. Estate Hugh O'Brien, Lewis O'Brien, adm'r. Estate C. B. Kleinsorge, Henry Kleinsorge, executor. Estate Wm. R. Watson, Jas. H. Watson, guardian. Estate Wm. Coughnour, M. D. Porter, adm'r. Estate Duly Young, G. C. Turner, guardian. Estate J. C. Shepherd, N. M. Trust Co. guardian. Estate E. C. Williams, T. J. Williams, administrator.

**SATURDAY, AUGUST 18TH.** Estate S. M. Barre, Fannie C. Barre, executrix. Estate Peter Glennon, C. Glennon, executor. Estate W. G. Harrison, T. A. McIntyre, executor. Estate John Dahlem, Elizabeth Dahlem, executrix. Estate J. R. Williams, R. A. Lake, administrator. Estate Aaron Cunard, C. R. Brown, adm'r. Estate Ored G. Lewis et al, Maggie E. Lewis, guardian.

**W. B. BOTTS, Judge.**

### STOCK AND FARM NOTES.

**CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET.**

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 19.—** Hogs 20,000 to 21,000. Fixed 6.40 to 6.50. Heavy 6.40 to 6.50. Light 6.15 to 6.35. Light 6.45 to 6.60. Cattle 19,000 steady. Sheep 22,000 steady.

Powell & Mundy had hogs on the St. Louis market Friday and a shipment of sheep Monday.

Powell & Mundy had sheep on Tuesday at St. Louis market.

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EARL MORRIS, WIFE AND FAMILY OF TWELVE.

(First Row) Pelide L. Peyton S. James B. Leonard Earl, Jr. Charles H. John B. French A. Benjamin S. (Second Row) (Third Row) Salie Ann Mr. Earl Morris Mrs. Earl Morris Master Joe D. (Fourth Row) Linnie Francis

The above halitone is from a photograph of the family of Earl Morris, of Centralia, and is reproduced by courtesy of the St. Louis Republic. It is the photograph which received the favorable comment of President Roosevelt and which was instrumental in placing Mr. Morris' name on the list of players for the Centralia Post Office despite his avowed allegiance to the principles of Democracy. Mr. Morris is a successful business man, and his list of ten boys are, without exception, industrious. There is a good base ball team in the Morris family and they are all players, two of the boys, Pelide and Charlie, are members of the Centralia Merchants team this season.

### Cottonwood Springs.

By One Route 102.

**COTTONWOOD SPRINGS, July 16.—**All is well. Peace on earth; good will towards men.

Dick Carter and John Renie are giving employment to a large number of laborers in their hay and out fields. Major John Foley, Renie Hilderbrand and Dick Waddington and wife, of Benton City, are now in the Indian Territory, looking for a better place to live than in Audrain County. They'll never find it. They'll all be back. They went by the wagon route.

Misses Minerva Pearson, Ruth Morris, Jane Taylor, Helen Liebler and Nellie Pearson were a bunch of pretty girls that had a jolly time at the fountain of loveliness here Sunday.

Thursday lightning struck and killed a horse belonging to Tom Scott.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Gass was buried Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Gass have the sympathy of the entire community in their sad bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hooton were in Centralia Sunday to attend the funeral and burial of Miss Zaugg, a cousin of Mrs. Hooton.

Let's see. How about those peek-a-boo shirt waists that the people are talking so much about? We shall investigate the aforesaid shirt waists, and if they are the proper article we will assist in making Mexico resemble New York every day, hour and minute.

Frank Peck was the honored guest Sunday of Ned Powell, down near Martinsburg. Some of these fine Sundays Frank and the writer intend to go down to Montgomery City and be guests of Capt. Owens and family.

No doubt, on this occasion, Captain Owens will kill the fatted calf, with fried chicken and gooseberry pie on the side. Yum, yum, yum!

Col. John R. Creasey, the hero of the ghost district, took dinner Sunday with Capt. Paige. "Uncle" John likes to wander this way and view the battle grounds on which the late B. H. Burr and the writer and several hundred other "soldiers" fought so nobly many years ago.

An eminent divine has told us that the only obstacle in the way to keep Billie Bryan out of the presidency in 1908 was the Lord and Theodore Roosevelt. We are inclined to think the divine is about correct.

We spent a few hours pleasantly at the happy home of Meredith Armstrong Sunday morning. Meredith is sure there with the fruit, corn, oats, hay and wheat. The growing crops all look splendid on "Possum" Walk. Get John Peck to tell you what a certain father told Meredith (over the phone) when he, Meredith, asked him (the father) for his charming daughter.

We will have to interview Billie Wayne and Paul Hudson before we write up that 80-pound channel cat fish story that Uncle Pete Morris told us the other day. It was up on Elk Fork, and 6, 7 and 9-pound fish were thrown aside. Mr. Morris says they were after the big ones and they landed them all right, all right.

The Kenosha black hose are right in line with the celebrated Cottonwood brand. Ricketts & Emmons have them in stock. No better hose made. Bill Ragsdale will furnish the buckles for the beautiful LEONOR belts. Bill is not to be sneezed at, and continues to sell more goods and ship to other states more saddles than any three firms in any adjoining counties. Bill likes the printers and the printers like Bill.

We have a nice assortment of residences in Mexico for sale, at prices to suit some of the best of the city as well as some desirable cheaper homes.

**LAKEMAN & BARNES.**

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Hawthorne are home from their wedding trip.

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